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8. [REDACTED] Al Tarabochia, Senate Internal Security Subcommittee, called on behalf of an unnamed Senator interested in whether Rennie Davis had met with North Vietnamese representatives in Paris last September. I told Tarabochia that, as he well knows, we do not keep track of the activities of U.S. citizens and suggested that he contact the FBI.

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9. [REDACTED] Met with Senator Clifford P. Hansen (R., Wyo.) and Sam Marler and William Thomson, of his staff, regarding a response for the Senator to make to inquiries from the poet, Allen Ginsberg, concerning allegations of CIA involvement in Southeast Asian drug traffic. The Senator welcomed our suggestions for responding to Ginsberg, and agreed to try to obtain from the Bureau of Narcotics a statement which could be made public in order to set the record straight.

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10. [REDACTED] met with Representative Morris K. Udall (D., Ariz.) and explained our problems with the Ervin bill guaranteeing the privacy of Federal employees. Mr. Udall seemed to understand our problems, but offered no encouragement so far as our request for a complete exemption was concerned.

Mr. Udall asked us to check into an individual in Tuscon who had been involved in some shady activities, and who, according to the local press there, was suspected of being a CIA employee. (See [REDACTED] Memo for Record)

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11. [REDACTED] Met with Thad Murray, in the office of Senator William Spong, who wanted assistance in responding to a constituent inquiry regarding allegations in the Jack Anderson column that the Agency was involved in Southeast Asian drug traffic. Murray accepted my suggestions for a response, and agreed to have Senator Spong ask for further details from the Bureau of Narcotics.

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25X1 2. [redacted] Met with Mr. Ralph Preston, House Appropriations Committee staff, and told him that the Agency is continuing to explore possible courses of action concerning the Radios and that I would like some time, possibly later this week, to bring John Clarke, OPPB, by and discuss the matter with him. Mr. Preston said he would make himself available. 25X1

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25X1 4. [redacted] Met with Mr. Arthur Kuhl, Senate Foreign Relations Committee staff, and confirmed the final administrative arrangements for the Director's meeting with the Senate Foreign Relations Committee tomorrow at 10:00 a.m.

25X1 5. [redacted] Talked to Mr. W. H. Boone, House Science and Astronautics Committee staff, and confirmed Chairman Downing's request for briefing at 9:30 a.m., 11 May, in the Chairman's office. See Journal of 3 May 1971.

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